

**PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT[641]**

**Notice of Intended Action**

**Twenty-five interested persons, a governmental subdivision, an agency or association of 25 or more persons may demand an oral presentation hereon as provided in Iowa Code section 17A.4(1)“b.”**

**Notice is also given to the public that the Administrative Rules Review Committee may, on its own motion or on written request by any individual or group, review this proposed action under section 17A.8(6) at a regular or special meeting where the public or interested persons may be heard.**

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 105.4, the Iowa Plumbing and Mechanical Systems Board proposes to adopt new Chapter 30, “Continuing Education for Plumbing and Mechanical Systems Professionals,” Iowa Administrative Code.

These rules describe the continuing education requirements for licensees covered under Iowa Code chapter 105. These rules also describe the standards governing the criteria for continuing education activities; the procedures for auditing licensees’ continuing education reports; the grounds for exempting continuing education requirements; and the grounds for extending the time in which a licensee may fulfill the continuing education requirements.

Consideration will be given to all written suggestions or comments on the proposed rules on or before November 24, 2009. Such written comments should be directed to Cindy Houlson, Department of Public Health, Lucas State Office Building, 321 E. 12th Street, Des Moines, Iowa 50319. Comments may be sent by fax to (515)281-4529 or by E-mail to [choulson@idph.state.ia.us](mailto:choulson@idph.state.ia.us).

Also, there will be a public hearing on November 24, 2009, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., at which time persons may present their views either orally or in writing. At the hearing, persons will be asked to give their names and addresses for the record and to confine their remarks to the subject of the rules.

This hearing will originate from the Iowa Communications Network (ICN) and will be accessible over the ICN from the following locations:

- National Guard Armory, 3200 2nd Mech Drive, Sioux City
- Iowa Western Community College – 3, 2700 College Road, Council Bluffs
- National Guard Armory, 3306 Airport Blvd., Waterloo
- Ottumwa Regional Health Center, 1001 E. Pennsylvania, Ottumwa
- Mississippi Bend Area Education Agency 9, 729 21st Street, Bettendorf
- State Historical Building, 600 E. Locust, Des Moines
- Iowa Western Community College – 2, 923 East Washington, Clarinda
- Mason City National Guard Armory, 1160 19th Street SW, Mason City
- Crestwood High School, 1000 4th Avenue East, Cresco
- Archdiocesan Pastoral Center, 1229 Mount Loretta, Dubuque
- Spirit Lake High School, 2701 Hill Avenue, Spirit Lake
- Prairie Lakes Area Education Agency, 1 Triton Circle, Library Bldg., Fort Dodge
- University of Iowa – 1, at the end of North Madison Street, North Hall Room 103, Iowa City
- Burlington High School, 421 Terrace Drive, Burlington

Any persons who intend to attend the public hearing and have special requirements, such as those relating to hearing or mobility impairments, should contact the Department of Public Health and advise of specific needs.

These rules were also Adopted and Filed Emergency and are published herein as **ARC 8270B**. The content of that submission is incorporated by reference.

These rules are intended to implement Iowa Code chapter 105.